

BARGAINS in Ladies Hats, at SHAW'S!

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Over Stocked...

Those Two Words Tell the Story.

On account of the warm, open weather this fall, the sales of Clothing have not been what they should, and we find ourselves now with an immense stock of Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats on hand, and the stock must be reduced before the end of our year. We offer the entire stock at prices to make them go.

NOTE THESE PRICES:

\$15.00

Buys choice of any Suit or Overcoat in the house. This includes our finest \$20.00 and \$18.50 Suits.

\$10.00

Buys choice of a big line of Men's Fine Suits, worth \$15.00 and \$12.50.

\$6.50

Buys choice of Men's Suits bought to sell at \$10.00 and 7.50

\$3.98

Buys choice of Men's Suits worth \$6.50 and \$5.00.

\$9.98

Buys choice of any Boy's Suit in the house. This includes our \$15.00 Suits. We have cheaper Suits at special prices.

\$3.98

Buys choice of any Child's Suit in house. This takes \$5.00 and 6.50 Suits. Cheaper Suits \$1.00 and up.

\$1.48

Men's Cassimere Pants excellent quality, bought to sell at \$1.75.

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For Men's fine stiff-bosom fancy Shirts, bought to sell for \$1.00.

SPECIAL VALUES IN OVERCOATS.

L. P. & W. S. ELLISON,
HICKMAN, KY.

PETRIFIED BODY

Was Found in the Mayfield Cemetery Saturday in Almost Perfect Condition.

Mayfield Messenger. Sexton J. B. Byrd informs us that he found a petrified human body at the city cemetery Saturday afternoon. He and several other gentlemen were engaged in removing the remains of W. D. Compton from the northern section of the cemetery to the new addition east, and claiming to have found the body in a perfect state of preservation, naturally formed and as firm as stone. The body was found in about two feet of water, the grave being in the lowest part of the slope section of the north part of the cemetery.

SOLD OUT EXCHANGE.

Hickman Telephone System Goes Into Hands of the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co.

A deal was closed last Saturday by Mr. Henry Cowgill, owner of the Hickman telephone exchange, for the sale of the local system to the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Co., a branch of the gigantic American Bell Telephone Company. The new owners are to take charge December 1, and it is understood that Mr. Cowgill will continue as manager of the local system.

The Cumberland company owns what is known as the "long distance" lines, besides a number of local exchanges in West Kentucky and Tennessee. It is not known as yet whether or not the new management will raise rates.

POPULATION OF FULTON

The population of Fulton by the census is 2,993, and South Fulton is set down at 1,691, making the total population 4,684. The population of Fulton county by the census is 11,264, showing a net gain of 1,681 in the county since the census of 1890.

IN THIS NECK OF THE WOODS.

Business is having trouble with the service for the construction of the railroad, claiming the department is inadequate and inefficient, and rates will likely be raised.

The L. C. railroad bridge over the Forked Deer river at Dyersburg, was burned Saturday, delaying traffic for some hours.

THE CANDIDATE.

He kissed the baby and rubbed the back of the baby and swore that the baby was beautiful and wished he had two—but that don't count. He didn't praise the countess that he vainly tried to charm, and forthwith begged for the receipt, of course that he had none—but that don't count. But just before he left he stopped, and winked closed his jaw, then said around behind the barn and gave a drink to pass away that count—P.

DAMAGE FROM LEVEE WORK.

U. S. Engineer's Office, Memphis, Tennessee, November 19, 1900. Wm. H. Young, Hickman, Ky. Sir: Yours of the 17th received. It is necessary in all levee work for all questions connected with the right of way condemnation, or purchase of the land necessary for this purpose and any other damages to adjacent lands or crops, to be left to the local levee board to settle and it is the settled policy of the Commission, approved by the Secretary of War, that all such matters should be settled by the local levee board, and in cases where they are not settled, no allotments are made by the United States to do any of this levee work.

Before the Hickman-Hough Landing levee survey was made, such above matters were referred to the president of the local levee board in Lake County, Tenn, and it was the understanding of this office that this local levee board would, as in other cases, perform their duty in this respect and consequently all amounts of damage laid before this office as Assistant Engineer LeVasseur, have been forwarded to the president of the local levee board and it is greatly to my surprise I find the levee board south of Lake into such matters. In ordinary cases it is possible to bring pressure to bear on these levee boards by withholding all allotments for levee work until they perform these functions.

An allotment has yet been made by the United States for the construction of this levee, no such pressure can be brought forward in this case, and I am unable to say whether or not the United States will make any such allotment in these exceptional cases. I will, however, advise you of the danger. However, I will do what I can in the case, and would suggest that you send me a new statement, in duplicate, of the damages and claims, and claimant being in detail and under oath. Very respectfully, E. E. WOODROW, Captain of Engineers.

PROCLAMATION.

Governor Beckham by Proclamation Makes Next Thursday Thanksgiving Day.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 15.—Governor Beckham issued the following Thanksgiving proclamation this morning:

"Commonwealth of Kentucky—Executive Department—Thanksgiving Proclamation. In accordance with custom, and in response to the grateful emotions of our people toward Almighty God, I appoint Thursday, November 29, as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer throughout the Commonwealth. Let us on that day, give reverent thanks unto Him for the many blessings bestowed upon our country, and let our prayers, that in the future, as in the past, He may guide the nation through the storm and peril that may beset us to the haven of peace and happiness. Upon that day let all our citizens lay aside their business cares and devote themselves to the contemplation of the growth and progress of their country, and to express gratitude to Him, from whom all these benefits have come. We should not forget the poor and suffering among us, and wherever it is possible to extend the hand of charity to those deserving it, the generous impulses of our people will lead them to do so, to relieve distress, to clothe the naked, during the severities of the coming winter."

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the Commonwealth to be hereunto affixed."

Done at Frankfort this 15th day of November, A. D. 1900, and in the 10th year of the Commonwealth. By the Governor, J. C. W. BECKHAM.

C. E. HILL, Secretary of State.

METHODIST APPOINTMENTS.

The Memphis Methodist Conference in session at Martin, Tennessee, last week made the following appointments of the preachers, well known to the readers of the Courier:

Union City District. W. D. Jenkins, Presiding Elder; Union City Station, R. H. Mahon; Union City Circuit, R. M. Vaughn; Cayce, C. D. Hilliard; Hickman, J. H. Evans; Crystal, T. G. Lowery; Spottsville, R. Y. Harkness; Ridgeley, S. E. Jones; McDonnell, W. H. Cline; New York, supernumerary; Rhoads, B. L. Harris, Station. Clerks, Ralph G. Grier, T. H. A. Brown and George O. T. Pender; Treasurer, C. C. Bell; J. W. Lowrance, supernumerary; Martin, P. G. Thompson; Rossville, E. H. Stewart; R. Bell, supernumerary; Greenfield and Brooks, J. J. Thomas; Columbus, E. K. Bransford;

Water Valley, J. B. Knight; Kenton and Rutherford, Wellborn Mooney; student in Vanderbilt University, C. D. Evans; Jackson Hays Avenue, W. J. Hickey; McKenna, W. O. Bellan; Lexington Dist., J. W. Waters, Presiding Elder; Huntington Station, W. C. Waters.

A. W. LINDSAY DEAD.

County Attorney and a Prominent Citizen of Hickman, Died, Tuesday Evening.

Mr. A. W. Lindsay, County Attorney, and a well known young lawyer and citizen, died at the Laclede Hotel, in Hickman, Tuesday, 5:30 p. m., after an illness of five or six weeks, of typhoid fever. The deceased came to Hickman some ten years since from his native state, Virginia, and from the first grew in the favor and admiration of the people of this county. He was County Attorney and future popular favor seemed to be in store for him. He was a young man who had had a hard struggle in his boyhood, working to educate himself and to help others, and death seems to have come when better conditions and positions seemed secured. He was generous and free hearted, true in his friendship, proud, exceedingly sensitive, and his character shone in many of the noblest qualities of human nature. He was a member of the Episcopal church, and professed faith in the Master from early boyhood. He was a bachelor, his nearest relatives being sisters and brothers. May the Peace which passeth all understanding be with his spirit, it through all eternity.

ACCIDENT AT PIERCE.

Gerald Rogers Almost Instantly Killed at Pierce, Tenn., in a Runaway Accident.

Gerald Rogers, a little 8-year-old son of Mr. H. Rogers of Pierce, was almost instantly killed in a runaway at noon Monday. In company with his father he had driven into the lot at the residence; the elder Rogers alighted from the wagon, leaving the boy on the seat. The horse became frightened and ran away. The boy was thrown to the ground and killed shortly afterward. — Fulton Leader.

Mr. George Walden and sister Mary, of Nashville, are visiting Mrs. Lizzie Clark at State Line.

KING'S FINE FURNITURE MUST GO.

I NEED MONEY and prices on this sale will be slaughtered "Regardless of loss." My stock is large and nothing but first-class goods are handled by me. Notice a few of this week's SPECIALS:

A nice Bedroom Suit regular 12.50, \$10.00
A solid Oak Suit, regular 16.50, 11.50
Handsome Mahogany Suit, special cut, 35.00
A beauty. Regular price, 45.00.
Handsome line of quartered Oak Suits, cut from regular prices, 85.00 to 60.00, and 75.00 to 50.00.

THIS
WEEK
ONLY.

A solid line of Leather Goods at greatly reduced prices. \$12.50 Rockers cut to 9.95, 10.00 Rockers cut to 7.50 and 6.00, and 7.00 Rockers cut to 5.50.

Bed Lounges—Regular prices 12.50, 16.00 & 18.00 goods cut to 9.00, 12.50, 14.50. Sideboards, Dining Tables, and a complete line of Dinners at 10 to 15 per cent less than others.

CALL and examine my stock. You will be surprised at the tremendously low prices I am making on fine Goods.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC:

Having decided to close out my Undertaking Department, I will sell anything in the line of Undertakers Supplies, including a full line of Springfield Metallics, Solid Walnut Caskets, and the finest line of Cloth Covered Caskets ever shown in Hickman at manufacturer's price. This line is complete. Will make prices to suit you if you need this line.

E. L. KING, HOME-FURNISHER.

THE HICKMAN COURIER.

GEORGE WARREN.

HICKMAN, KY.

FRIDAY, NOV. 25, 1900.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COUNTY CLERK OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

We are authorized to announce Mr. E. M. METT W. HARRIS as a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of the Common Schools of Fulton county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

We are authorized to announce Miss DORA MATHIAS SMITH as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of the Common Schools of Fulton county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce Mr. W. A. NATHAN as a candidate for Sheriff of Fulton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on April 6, 1901.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE CAMPBELL as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Fulton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

We are authorized to announce Mr. P. T. WATSON as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Fulton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce S. D. LATTIN as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

We are authorized to announce Mr. LOU BISHOP as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce HIRSH KRAMER as a candidate for County Judge of Fulton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of April 6, 1901.

We are authorized to announce J. F. MANESS as a candidate for Judge of the Fulton County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce T. B. LEXSON as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor, subject to Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

We are authorized to announce LATHAN WATSON as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor, subject to Democratic primary to be held April 6, 1901.

TOM LANNOM FOR ASSESSOR.

In the Courier will be found the authorized announcement of Thomas B. Lannom, as a candidate for Assessor. He is a clever man, popular and competent. He will make a good assessor, and is elected will make a good Assessor.

EFFECT FROM PHILIPPINES.

Chairman Ray, of the House Judiciary Committee, says that if the Supreme Court decides the Porto Rican tariff unconstitutional it might necessitate the relinquishment of the Philippines, as such decision would shut out all prospect of tariff legislation for those islands.

BANK LOOTING

It seems that special crimes occur by epidemics. In the last several weeks the detection and exposure of bank clerks and cashiers seems unprecedented. Now comes Clerk Brown, of the German National Bank of New York, Ky., to the tune of \$20,000. Also, Francis D. Carley, of New York, files bankruptcy petition, short more than one million dollars.

J. F. MANESS FOR JUDGE.

In this issue is the announcement of Justice J. F. Maness as a candidate for County Judge. He is one of the oldest magistrates in the county, had large experience in the management of county affairs, is a man of honor and integrity, and is too well known to the people to need any special commendation from the Courier. He will make an honest, conscientious officer if elected.

A ROYALIST MEMBER OF CONGRESS.

Robert W. Wilcox, of the Royalist party, has been elected a delegate to the congress of the United States from Iowa. He was strongly opposed by Republicans and Democrats alike. The Republican candidate was Samuel Park, and the Democratic candidate was David Wankamann. It was believed that the Democratic candidate, being an ex-prince of the former royal dynasty, would so divide the native vote as to elect the Republican candidate Parker, and his candidacy was made for that purpose. The late issue of the influence for the Royalist candidate, Wilcox, as a delegate to our congress, will urge a restoration of Queen Lila's rule. The white of Hawaii are greatly discouraged, and will urge further restriction of suffrage. For the first time in the American Congress we will have an out and out Royalist member of parliament.

THEORIES VS. FACTS.

The invention of Coda Harry, brings before the public eye the most comprehensive and complete financial question, a few years ago, and supersedes his remarkable book, "Coin's Financial School." The word "financial" is used advisedly. It was not a mere theory. Every body read it. In argument and illustration it was most effective. There was nothing around its propositions. The points in the subject which were the most important, long and long questions bearing upon the free coinage of silver, and every one of them was answered triumphantly. From first to last the book was a theoretical discussion of the financial question was factious. But the theories did not fit into the facts. Only four or five years have passed since the book was the rage, but within that time every theory which it advanced has fallen down. And they were beautiful theories too, as we have said—there were never prettier. All of which goes to show that you can't always tell. A theory may be apparently flawless but one cannot swear by it until after it has come in contact with the cold logic of facts and without them. All of us have seen this often enough to cause us to hesitate about running after new and untried things but there is not in all history a more conclusive or familiar warning against it than is to be found in the variance between the theories advanced in "Coin's Financial School" and the facts when they came to be applied to them.

MAKE THEM REPEAT.

It would certainly seem that the administration at Washington is justified in its opinion that the publishing of the leaders of the Boxer rebellion in China by mere degradation in rank is not a sufficiently severe punishment for the crimes of which they were guilty. A Chinese degradation of this nature amounts to little more than forbidding the punished man to wear a jacket of a certain color, or to sport a hat of a certain size, or to adorn his headwear with the feathers of a certain bird. Even if it goes the length of depriving him of whatever title of nobility he may possess, or of expelling him from his office, it is not enough. The slaying of Christian missionaries, the attempted massacre of the foreign legations in Peking, the precipitation of an international crisis of national gravity, demand something more.

It was not a comic opera plot in which Prince Tuan, General Tung Fah Hsing and their fellow conspirators were engaged, and should be so considered. It was a tragedy in the punishment. The death penalty need not be imposed—although it could be done with entire justice—but there should be a whole-some punishment for life, or for long terms of years of these guilty of the Banquet Plot. They have violated the law of Nations, and they should be made to feel it, or create a very wholesome respect for that law throughout the length and breadth of China.

TRUSTS FREE HAND.

The dispatches have told of the advance since the election of the price of meat in Chicago. They have also told of the enormous advance in the salt rate of the price of salt. This is the beginning. The trusts, having a stout grip upon the Republican party, to the campaign field, of which they are liberal contributors, may be expected to consider the endorsement of that party by the people last week as giving carte blanche to them, and others of them, will stick their heads up deeper into the public eye. It all gives emphasis to the fact that the people need in a sturdy at Washington a party which fosters no special interests but is respectful of the popular welfare. To say this is to state the most fundamental of these times, wild, blotted life has rendered Democratic success impossible. By destroying public confidence in the safety of the Democratic party, by causing the people to believe to a continuance of the lies they hear from the Republican party rather than chance the worse with which the Democrats threatened them, those wild-eyed leaders have become shrewd in this and any other Republic can gain from which the country may suffer in the next four years. One should hesitate to say that any party however wise and patriotic, would survive if given power, through the party for all efforts in this direction, in either State or nation, have failed so far, but a party which had at heart the interests of the people, would certainly check their aggressions and hold them in respect for, whereas they know that in the Republican party they have a protector and a friend and under a free hand. In the coming four years they may be trusted to hold high carnival.

St. Louis has in sight \$10,000,000 for her world's fair of 1903. With her other resources, and from the states and other countries, sale of privileges, etc., the "Future Great" should be in a position to meet all previous world's fairs. St. Louis has the fair grounds, as shown by her annual Valley fair and her expositions.

Positively all work done without pain. McFALL & DUBUEN, the painless dentists.



TO HAVE GOOD TEETH

It is essential that you take good care of them. A little care now and you'll never regret it years to come. Our careful examinations and work mark our professional services as distinctly superior and satisfactory. Nothing too difficult for our skill. Charges that are met with pleasure.

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INTERNATIONAL STOCK FOOD.

The only stock food that gives paying results, a positive reliable guarantee is printed on every package. This guarantee means what it says. If the preparation is used according to directions and fails, you get a refund of your money. We want you to understand that we are doing business on exactly the same plan that our horsefaring friends or world-wide and guarantee anything to one of his neighbors. In International Stock Food, you get a refund of your money.

Three Feeds For One Cent.

It is guaranteed to save corn and oats. Gives a horse new life and strength. Keeps brood mares and colts healthy. Purifies the blood and keeps it pure. Keeps farm horses in perfect condition. Will make your mules thrive.

International Stock Food.

3 FEEDS FOR 1 CENT. Guaranteed to cure or prevent HOOF ROT, CHLOROMA, also the quickest help now ever discovered. You may not need it if it ever fails, and you are to be the loser and the judge.

To every purchaser of a 25 pound pail we will present a stock book that contains the full engraving of stock that you can get in a book costing you \$10.00. It contains a reliable, practical and lively illustrated veterinary encyclopedia that will give you complete information in regard to many accidents and diseases horses are liable to have at any time. Give International Stock Food a trial. You will never do without it. R. W. McCLURE, Hickman, Ky.

Orders will receive prompt attention at M. B. Shaw's News Station.

CARTER BROWDER

At the home of Mrs. Alfred Browder, north of Elson church, this afternoon at 3 o'clock Mr. Len Carter and Miss Clara Browder were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. A large crowd of friends and relatives of the bridal couple witnessed the affair.

WILL MAKE TURKEY PAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Diplomacy has failed to accomplish the settlement of the missionary claims pending against Turkey, the administration has decided to support possible representation by a naval demonstration. Two American men of war have received orders to proceed to Smyrna, and a third is available for duty in Turkish waters, if the department deems it expedient to augment its force. The ships instructed to enter the port of Smyrna are the battleship Kentucky, one of the most powerful battleships, and the American navy, and the training ship Delta. The gunboat Wilmington, now in the Mediterranean, may also be instructed to call at Smyrna. If it is that her presence will have a beneficial effect.

BROWN HAD ACCOMPANIES

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 19.—The reports who have been working today for the German National Bank at Newport, Ky., place the shortage of Frank M. Brown, the missing assistant cashier and individual bookkeeper, at \$101,561. According to reports from those who were with Brown when he left last Tuesday, he had less than \$700 with him, and his salary was only \$1.00 per day, and cases are now cited where he spent more than that amount in one day. He had no money, and it is good as far as it goes.

United States District Attorney Hill will arrive from Paducah tomorrow, when it is said criminal proceedings will be begun. Federal detectives have certain parties under surveillance, and there reports about arrests that will follow the arrival of District Attorney Hill.

ANOTHER ONE.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 19.—Tom Phillips, a book keeper at the Guthrie National Bank, was arrested today, charged with embezzling \$3,000. He was fined at \$3,000, which he gave.

When you feel that life is hardly worth the candle take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse your stomach, build up your liver and regulate your bowels, making you feel like a new man. For sale by Cowell & Cowell, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Line.

DON'T YOU WANT GOOD GOODS?

If you do—are really interested in things that cost more—then call and inspect our superb new line of DIAMOND JEWELRY.

The latest creations in Diamond Rings, Brooches, Pins, Sticks, Watches, Bells and Novelties now on display at Hickman's real jewelry store. The very best of everything in the Jeweler's line can always be found at the modern store of

C. G. SCHLENKER, Jeweler, Brevard Building, Clinton Street.

Stove Boards, Stove Pipes.

HEATING STOVES!

Just received a large supply of Heating Stoves, coal and Wood.

Call and see them.

Also remember we are sole agents for the famous

WILSON HEATER.

Will burn anything that looks like wood.

No smoke, no ashes, less wood and more heat than any other stove made.

Come and see them.

L. P. & W. S. ELLISON.

Coal Vases, Coal cuttles.

FIRE IN TEXAS.

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 20.—The A. B. Frank Company, wholesale grocers, and John Frank, wholesale dry goods dealer, on West Commerce street near main plaza, suffered a fire at 1:30 this afternoon, which inflicted a loss of more than \$250,000. Loss is fully covered by insurance.

MONUMENT FUND.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 20.—A meeting of the General Monument Association, held at the Capital Hotel today, and various accounts were paid. The Governor, Mr. McCreary, chairman of the association, reported \$9,000 raised by the men's branch and \$2,000 by the women's branch, making a total of \$11,000 on hand. Ferdinand Madison farm, 1 mile East of Mt. Vernon Church, P. O. address, Hickman, Ky. 11:24.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to us, by note or account, are hereby notified that their accounts have been placed in the hands of Mr. H. Brown for collection. Use can be found at the post office. Please call on him at once and settle, as I need the money.

Respectfully, C. E. BARTLETT.

STOCK SALE.

On Tuesday, Nov. 20th, 1900, I will sell Black Cattle, Milk Cows, one lot of Hogs, etc., at public outcry, on a credit of 6 months, purchasers giving bond and good security. Sale on my place, five miles below Hickman, near the Big game place. R. W. McCLURE.

Notice to the Farmers

It is our purpose to buy corn again this season in Hickman, paying at all times the highest cash market price. We have arranged with Mr. W. M. Shaw to buy for us, and he will use our latest-improved Fairbanks scales, and will have his office at the scales. We will be remembered as having kept up prices on corn at Hickman the past two seasons.

Thinking you for past patronage, and soliciting a continuance of same, we are, Very truly, MORGAN HARDY GRAIN CO., Union City, Tenn.

We have just returned from our first buying trip to a large line of Burgins and Harness. We have now on hand some of our best grade of Hugs, and we will give you a bargain in to make room for new stock. R. E. HERVEY & CO.

Commissioner's Notice.

FULTON CIRCUIT COURT. J. M. Whiting, Plaintiff, vs. Tom Dillon, Jr., adm'r, Deft., Equity.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Mary Knorr, dec'd, that the undersigned, Commissioner of the Fulton Circuit Court, under an order in the above styled cause, will attend at his office on the corner of Jackson and Kentucky streets, from the date hereof until the 1st day of the next January term of this court, 1901, to receive and hear proof of claims against said decedent, and that all claims not presented to him and proved as required by law, within the time specified above, will be forever barred.

W. P. TAYLOR, Master, Com' Pulton Circuit Court. By TOM DILLON, Sr., Deputy.

Farm for Sale.

Containing 104½ acres, all cleared and under fence. Situated on public road in Mad Creek neighborhood, and known as the R. W. Knapp farm. Good house, orchard and stock range. For terms, etc., apply to 10-26-01 R. D. HOPKINS, Moscow, Ky.

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Orders accompanied with Cash will have prompt attention.

ALL FUEL MUST BE PAID FOR ON DELIVERY.

ALL GRADES OF STEAM COALS.

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To my old customers. We are here to stay. Nobility will appreciate your patronage or take more pleasure in trying to please you than we old reliable barbers. R. U. CALDWELL, Will, Calwell.

Horse Shoe Barber Shop.

In the new Laclede Hotel, where can be found good barbers, polite and ready to serve you. Clean work, clean towels, clean razors. We'll try to please you. H. B. LIT.

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First class touriste, buggies, surreys, carriages, etc. Terms, etc. Customers served with courtesy and politeness. Patronage solicited. Telephone 19.

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C. E. EAKER,

General Grocer,

Powell Block, Clinton St.

Having purchased the Grocery Block of J. J. C. Boudry, will be pleased to have all old friends to call. Fresh Goods and Cheap Bargains.

Railroad Time Table.

N. C. & St. L. R. R.

LEAVES ARRIVES
From N. C. & St. L. R. R. To N. C. & St. L. R. R.
From N. C. & St. L. R. R. To N. C. & St. L. R. R.

Local and Personal.

We are confident to announce that E. Hays can be a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the Democratic primary, to be held April 6, 1901.

✓ Eyes tested free at Hick's. Hickman buyers are paying \$2.00 for teeth.

Miss Doris Smith was on the sick list the past week.

Mr. Joe Williams, of Memphis, was in town this week.

✓ Teeth without plates. McFall & Dentures.

Clayton T. Smith, of Fulton, was a caller last week.

✓ Mothers attended Federal Court at Vicksburg, this week.

✓ Heavy, medium and light weight Overalls; Cheap. Hays & Naylor.

✓ Messrs. Tom and Jim Henrick, of Clinton, were visitors Sunday.

✓ Mrs. Maggie Randle visited friends and relatives in Jackson last week.

✓ Teeth extracted positively without pain. McFall & Dentures.

John Ford and Jim Welch came down from Fulton, Saturday, to see old friends.

✓ Mrs. A. M. Perry has returned home after a two week's visit to Rock Springs.

✓ Get Mr. Andrews to repair your watch at Hick's.

✓ The Hessian fly is damaging wheat considerably in the Clinton neighborhood.

✓ Miss Sadie Ambrey, assistant cashier Hickman Bank, is visiting her parents in Daragould, Ark.

✓ All work guaranteed for life by McFall & Dentures, the painless dentists.

✓ There was a Hollows baptizing at the Ballpark, in East Hickman, Sunday evening.

✓ Prof. J. C. Cheek attended the M. E. Conference, at Martin, Friday and Saturday of last week.

✓ Mr. McFall & Dentures, the painless dentists.

✓ Mrs. J. E. Fugate returned Sunday from a visit to friends and relatives in Jackson, Tenn.

✓ Mrs. Charles Wade, of Louisville, Graves county, is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Cess, in West Hickman.

✓ The constitutional amendments making it possible to hold a World's Fair at St. Louis in 1903, carried.

✓ Mrs. Amanda Powell, a former Hickman young lady, now of St. Louis, is a visitor in the city this week.

✓ We are going to sell those Bug eyes on hand at some price. If you want a bargain now in your choice, call and we will please what we say and we do.

✓ E. E. Reeves & Co.

✓ The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. Alice Ambrey's today, at 3 p. m. Sharp. A large attendance requested.

✓ Senator Lillard Carter, President of the State Senate, is now visiting in the city of Kentucky, during the absence of Gov. Hickman on his federal tour.

✓ Wants. The State Fair. Lost Found, to Loan, etc., inserted in the Courier at rate of 1 cent a word each insertion. Personal notices free.

✓ Quite a crowd of people were in town Saturday, more especially from the lower saw mill settlements, and business was good with our merchants.

✓ The Courier has a straight-up three marriages of well known Hickman young men to cover now. All are in and out of town, however. Now guess while.

✓ A petition is in circulation asking Judge Keeler to appoint H. F. Henley County Attorney to fill the unexpired term of A. W. Lindsey, deceased. He is a worthy young man, and we hope will receive the appointment.

✓ Next week the Courier will tell its readers of the marriage of a Hickman young couple, which event occurs Sunday, 26th inst. The happy young couple have the Courier's best wishes of abundant happiness and prosperity.

✓ A letter from Bobb, Weatherly at San Jose, Philippine Islands, dated Dec. 10, 1900, and written to his parents, says that he is enjoying good health and expects to leave the islands for the United States on or about January 1st, and possibly sooner.

✓ County Surveyor Holmes has been engaged this week running a line for a term railway for the Sugar Manufacturing Co., from the river back through their lands recently purchased from J. M. Reid. It will strike the river near the old Reid mill site.

✓ Messrs. Hays & Naylor, John Polk, C. F. Deakins, Jr. & J. R. Latta, of Meadows, of Fulton and Sam Latta, of Hickman, went to Camp Tietz, near Tyler, Mo., Saturday, on a fishing and hunting trip. Monte Ayres and George Herbert, of the Fulton section, were here Sunday, en route to join the party.

✓ It is a noticeable fact that many good names are lost to newspapers every week by the modesty of people who hesitate to tell the reporter any matters concerning themselves. The right thing to do is to stop a newspaper man on the street or any other place and tell him when you have been on a visit, have relatives visiting you, that your wife entertained company or anything that is in any way a matter of news. If you have done anything mean, of course, keep that to yourself, but there are all ways other to tell that.

✓ In this issue is the announcement of Arch Beards as a candidate for County Clerk. He is well known to the people. There is no truer gentleman in the county or one that is more competent for the position.

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Buy our "ACME" Felt Mattress, test it 60 nights. If it is not best in the world, we will refund price.

Our New
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is a beauty—finished equal in any \$100.00 Suit.

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Line of
Rockers—

Now on the road.

The style, beauty and cheapness will

Please You.

The success of our Special Price Sales has been so decided we this week make new offerings. The high value in these low-priced items of household goods can readily be seen on inspection.

HERE'S TRADE BUILDERS:

- Solid Oak Seats, (new lot) worth \$15, now 12.00
- Handsome Dining Table, cheap at \$5, 4.00
- Stout full-sized Bed, good at 2.50, our price, 2.00
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- Cotton top Mattress, the real 2.00 kind, 1.50
- Our Combination Mattress is knocking 'em at 1.50
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A CARD

Through the Courier, in behalf of myself and relatives, permit me to express to the friends and good citizens of Hickman, our sorrowful and heartfelt appreciation for their kind ministrations to my brother, Warren Lindsay, during his late illness. It pleased God to call him home, and to our sorrow it is a comfort to realize that he was so kindly and tenderly cared for, and by those who we so highly prize. May God bless you, one and all, be the prayer of his brother, BRUCE LINDSEY.

The very best quality of New Orleans Molasses just received at 11-23-24 H. C. AMBERG'S.

Robert Madole and Miss Alice M. Seddon, of Wickliffe, and Edward Mills and Miss Mary Holts, of Fancy Farm, Graves county, were married in Cairo this week.

✓ I have a lot of fine custom made Burton Shoes for ladies price \$3.00 to \$4.00 which I now offer at 2.50 they are all first class shoes and the best bargains ever offered. H. C. AMBERG'S.

✓ Mr. Claud Andrews, late with Morgan & Hardy Bros., the popular and courteous young gentleman has accepted a position as watchmaker and salesman at BUCK'S Jewelry Store, where he will be sure anxious to serve you in any way.

✓ A large assortment of Winter Bug Bites at E. E. REEVES & CO. They will give you a bargain in something good in that line.

OLD GOLD WHISKEY.

The genuine OLD GOLD WHISKEY can be obtained in Union City, Tenn., from W. R. Webster, only. Any other dealer there offering it, or claiming to have it, is practicing a fraud.

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STATE NEWS NOTES.

William Wright, of Dawson, was killed near there last week, by an I. C. train. Deceased was a miler in the Crabtree mines.

The state election board will meet on December 1st to canvass the returns and officially declare the result of the State election.

United States District Attorney Hill of Louisville, says he thinks the recent election was the fairest ever held in the state.

Mrs. Mollie Weil has used the Paducah street railway company for \$10.00.

damages for injuries sustained in being thrown from a car.

Governor Beckham was married in Owensboro Wednesday night to Miss Jean Fugate, a society belle of that city and is now in Florida on a bridal tour.

✓ I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and it has been a great medicine," says Mr. E. S. Phelps, of Potosi, Ark. "It cured me of bloody flux. I cannot speak too highly of it." This remedy always wins the good opinion of all who use it. Those who use it. The quick cures it effects even in the most severe cases make its fame everywhere. For sale by Cowgill & Cowgill, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Line.

Mr. W. M. McDowell, of Anthony, Fla., is in Hickman, this week, investigating as to the location of C. C. Hickman's work. McFall & Dentures, the painless dentists. Office—Over Williams' Book Store.

✓ We are here to stay—Call and examine our work. McFall & Dentures, the painless dentists. Office—Over Williams' Book Store.

✓ Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cure biliousness, constipation and indigestion. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Cowgill & Cowgill, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Line.

✓ H. F. Remley, Joe W. Bennett.

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I am engaged in this line of business at Union City, Tenn., and carry at all times a large and well assorted stock of "Good and Pure" Whiskey, as well as all other goods in that line, and respectfully solicit a TRIAL ORDER.

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Telephone 30. Quick Delivery.

MILK COWS FOR SALE.
Several good milk cows, with young calves for sale. JOHN MAY.

Farmers Free Column.

Under this heading will hereafter be published notices not to exceed 6 lines each, from farmers who are subscribers, who have horses, mules, cows, products, seed, &c., for sale, free of charge.

Peland China Hogs.
18 head, sows and boars, 6 weeks old, for sale. A. M. McCLURE.

COW FOR SALE—A good Jersey Cow with young calf. Apply to N. J. Cowan, Hickman, Ky.

For Sale,
1 horse, 2 years old past; one mule, 1 year old past; and one weanling mule. Apply to Mrs. J. P. ORR.

A New Thanksgiving.

It was a sunny little room and Juliet's fair hair was golden in one of the rays of light.

"I'm going to invite them all, but they're none of them coming. Don't you see, you boy? It's easy as rolling off a log. That's why I'm going to do it. I've thought it all over, and it's the best way to pay off our obligations. It's the most economical way, and we have to be so economical, Romeo."

He gaped apoplectically. What code of morals was this? Invite them all to a Thanksgiving dinner because she knew they wouldn't come! The gentle voice ran on:

"Of course, Basil and Leonora will come. I'm sure I hope so and neither John and the girls and you and I, Romeo. That will make just a very number of us, and just a fit for the ten by thirteen!"

He laughed, too, because Juliet did. He had to—it was contagious. But he was still floundering helplessly in the tangled web of Juliet's code of honor. The small, sweet woman read his mind with perfect ease.

"I know it, Romeo. Do you think I don't? I know it!—a beautiful error," she said. "But you don't know how I've agonized over all these obligations you can't think dear boy. I'm sure I've lost track, and they've got to be cancelled—and we can't afford to do it. There it is in a nutshell, Romeo. If the Dorchesters only hadn't sent us such fine wedding presents, and we had only declined to go to the Bennington-Millers' big lunch, and the E. Gerard Keene's ball!"

She broke off and covered his brown face with kisses. "I don't care, I'm going to settle things. I begin over now," she cried, recklessly. "I'm going to take things into my own hands and be a heroine! It's no use, dear boy, you needn't look so much. I'm going to do it. I'm not going to pay up those debts with your hard-earned money."

A THANKSGIVING DINNER.

IT WAS Juliet's idea. Most of the ideas were Juliet's.

"You see we are under so many obligations, Romeo," she said. "I'll call him Romeo, in a few hours of time, his name was John."

"There's the Dorchesters and the Bennington-Millers and Basil and Leonora and the E. Gerard Keene—we're under obligations to all of them," Juliet was not strong in her English grammar, but in everything else.

"You follow me, Romeo?"

"Yes, to the death—certainly, my dear," he answered, and he was not following her. He shifted his position now to get her in a stronger light. Strong lights were becoming to Juliet. He noted over her pretty charms and thought idly what a fortunate fellow he was.

"It's awful to feel under so many obligations, Romeo! You feel like that man—who was it? In the geography?—who carried the world around on his back? You remember him, Romeo?"

"Yes, he was an old schoolmate of mine," he said, humorously, Juliet laughed.

"Well, then you know how I feel, going round with the Dorchesters and the Bennington-Millers and all the rest on my poor little back. I think I've found a way to get them off, Romeo."

"Yes," she said.

"Yes, now stop stop gathering and listen. I'm going to invite them all to Thanksgiving dinner!"

"By-the-bye, you are!"

He was on his feet before he had gazed down into her calm little face in amazement.

"I am," Juliet said, serenely.

He continued gazing. Was Juliet going mad? There had been—well—yes, there had been a Wheeler, a generation or two back, who was mentally aberrated. Juliet was a Wheeler on her mother's side, therefore Juliet was going mad. He groaned audibly.

"Keep calm, dear, don't lose yourself to be agitated," he said.

"Romeo—John—what is another phase of her name for him—'Romeo-John', at it down beside me and be calm yourself. I'm calm enough, I'll repeat it. What I said was that I'm going to invite all those people we're under obligations to to Thanksgiving dinner with us. That will settle the obligations—I suppose you see that, Romeo? Now can't you see through a logician? Have you taken that in? Well, to-day is the 17th. I shall send the invitations at once. I've only just found out I could—er—er, you know."

He didn't know. He seemed to know so few things. Among the few, several facts annoyed him. He knew that their income Juliet's and his—was patently meager; that it was against their maxims to run in debt; that their dining-room was ten by thirteen. The latter fact appeared formidable. He waved his hand toward the neat little dining-table before them with an eloquent gesture. Juliet understood his gesture perfectly.

"It's a wee bit dining-room, isn't it, Romeo?" The wee bit! But it was there—let's count—two Dorchesters three Bennington-Millers—that's five. Take your other hand, Romeo—spread out the fingers—Basil and Leonora—"

"They're one," he muttered, cooking them off on his thumb. Why not? He and Juliet were one.

"Two," counted Juliet, impressively, "and five E. Gerard Keene, counting the children. Now, how many's that?"

Romeo-John was regarding his wide-spread fingers with abhor. There were not enough.

"Twelve!—That's 12, Romeo. Then there's mother, John—of course you must have mother, John and the girls. That's 15—and you and I!"

"Fifteen," he groaned. "My dear, the dining-room is ten by thirteen. There are three extra leaves to the table, and—"

"He got no further. Juliet transferred herself lightly to his knee and covered his bearded lips with little white hands.

"Poor boy!" she cooed. "I'll shall

not be, comforted any longer, as he should. All he shall do is collect his wits and wait. Somebody's going to enlighten him."

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sweet-of-the-brow money. This was the money that went to the house. It was a case of the "most-laid-lamb-Romeo."

"Yes, my dear, certainly."

"They're all three coming. She said she was delighted to change their plans so that they could take advantage of my cordial invitation."

"The chickens she did!" he groaned. Juliet finished with a button of his coat, meekly.

"I've been downtown and spoken for a bigger turkey, and—and I told Mr. Fletcher to save us a pair of small chickens. I specified small. You can have two small chickens go a good way in a platter, Romeo."

"Way round the table, can you?" queried he, gravely.

"They went into the dining-room and made elaborate plans, and Juliet counted her best hopes. After all, it was all right, they decided, with a fine attempt at the turkey."

The next day Romeo-John, on his homeward way, caught a glimpse of a small woman that looked unmistakably like Juliet. She was hurrying out of Mr. Fletcher's market, and he thought she glanced over her shoulder guiltily. He tried to catch her eye, but failed. Probably it wasn't Juliet, after all—what would Juliet be doing down at Fletcher's again? Ugh! there were other small women in the world. But Romeo-John knew there was but one Juliet. He was unsurprised when she met him at the door and confessed.

"I saw you, my dear," he said.

"Well?"

But she need not have told him. "I-I ordered one that would weigh 15 pounds. And, Romeo—"

"I specified two good-sized chickens, you know."

"The postman brought it. She said they had been planning to have the entire Dorchester family there to dinner, but they were very glad to put it off till Christmas. She said it would give them great pleasure to come."

"M-m-m," muttered Romeo-John, indignantly.

"Come into the dining-room, Romeo, quick. I want to try turning the table slanting-wise. It makes a good deal more room, you know. Oh, and I forgot to tell you that Basil and Leonora aren't coming. They can't, any way."

"The tables are already turned, my dear," Romeo-John said, solemnly. There was only one thing more left

to happen. It happened. It was a few days before Thanksgiving. Juliet took a downtown car and appeared in Romeo-John's little office in mid-morning. She was greatly agitated.

"Yes, dear, save your breath—you'll need it," he said, solemnly. "It came this morning. The postman brought it."

"No, a boy, I've got it in my pocket."

They read the little perfumed note together in silence. Then Juliet read it again, aloud. Her voice sounded frightened.

"My dear Mrs. —, m-m—, I write at this late date to accept your kind invitation to Thanksgiving dinner. I am sure you will excuse the tardiness and rejoice with me when I tell you it is my little Reginald's unlooked-for improvement in health that makes my acceptance possible now. The children are all greatly delighted at the prospect."

"Skip it, skip it—that's killing it on, my dear," groaned Romeo-John. Juliet smiled weakly.

"After all, it's a relief, Romeo—just to know there can't be any body else except," she murmured.

"The disengagement is seen by thirteen," he said, solemnly.

"Oh, I know it! I know it!"

"And the tables are already turned, my dear."

But in the end he comforted her. What else could he do? He got her down on his knee and swung her about, under cover of his newspaper. Basil and Leonora—mother, John and the girls and themselves. You couldn't make ten out of that any way, reckoned he—no, sir! You'd have to add on three.

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"I'll call it," he said, aloud, in sudden enlightenment. Juliet groaned and told him. She met him at the door with a queer little smile.

"I see, my dear."

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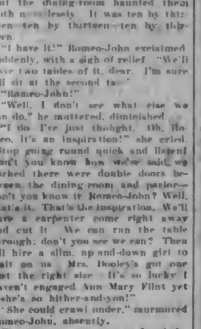
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"Now Don't Get the Blues."



When a cheerful, brave and light-hearted woman is suddenly plunged into that perfection of misery, the blues, it's a sad picture.

It is usually this way:

She has been feeling out of sorts for some time, experiencing severe headache and backache; sleeps very poorly and is exceedingly nervous.

Sometimes she is nearly overcome by faintness, dizziness, and palpitation of the heart; then that bearing-down feeling is dreadfully wearing.

Her husband says, "Now, don't get the blues! You will be all right after you have taken the doctor's medicine."

But she does not get all right. She grows worse day by day, until at last she realizes that a distressing female complaint is established.

Her doctor has made a mistake.

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Tells of the Stewardship of Wealth—Field for the Generations.

[New York Telegram to the Chicago Herald.]

"How to make the most of wealth" was a question recently asked of Miss Helen Gould, whose stewardship of her own great wealth has made her the pride of every true American, every lover of that which is true and noble and womanly. She has answered it in a letter, parts of which are, by permission of the Christian Herald, printed. Her answer was characteristically sensible.

"The Christian idea of wealth as a stewardship or trust," she wrote "and not to be used for one's personal pleasure alone, but for the welfare of others, certainly seems the nobler and those who have more money or broader culture owe a debt to those who have had fewer opportunities. And there are so many ways one can help!

"Children, the sick and the aged especially, have claims on our attention, and the forms of work for them are numerous—from kindergarten, day nurseries and industrial schools to homes and hospitals.

"Our institutions for higher education require gifts in order to do their best work, for the tuition fees do not cover the expense of the advantages offered, and certainly societies such as these in our churches and the Young Women's Christian Association and the Young Men's Christian Association deserve our hearty co-operation.

"The honest worker who so earnestly and lovingly gives his lives to promote the welfare of others gives far more than money, for they have simply made gifts of money, so those who cannot afford to give largely need not feel discouraged about that. After all, sympathy and good will may be a greater force than wealth, and we can all extend to others a kindly and courteous feeling that will make life sweeter and better.

"Sometimes it seems to me that we do not sufficiently realize the good that is done by money that is used in the different industries in giving employment to great numbers of people under the direction of clever men and women, and surely it takes more ability, perseverance and time to successfully manage such an enterprise than merely make gifts.

DISMAL SHIPPING.

The annual report of Commissioner of Navigation Chamberlain makes a dismal showing for American shipping, and makes an appeal for subsidies in the hope of building up our trade. The United States employs 30 per cent. of the entire tonnage of the world for its imports, yet only 9 per cent. of all our imports are carried in American bottoms. Our tonnage comprises 25,935 vessels of 5,164,839 gross tons, but they are mostly employed in coastwise and lake trade, where foreign competition is impossible. Great Britain has built more vessels in the last year than we have built in a decade.

QUESTIONS TO ANSWER.

An exchange propounds the following queries. Can you answer any of them? "You can any day see a white horse, but why is it that you never see a white cow? How many kinds of trees grow in your neighborhood, and what are they good for? Why does a horse eat grass backward and a cow forward? Why does a boy ride always with one way and a bean vine the other? Where should the inside of a chimney be the largest—at the top or bottom, and why? Can you tell why a horse tethered with a rope always unravels it while a cow twirls it into knots? Why do leaves turn upside down just before a rain? What is the length of a horse's head, is it as long as a flag barrel? What animals have no front teeth and why?"

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS OF THE PAST WEEK.

QUIT TOO SOON.

Verkes Goes After That Revenue Job in a Hurry—Went Unsettled the Governorship.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—John W. Verkes, late Republican candidate for Governor of Kentucky has been appointed Collector of Internal Revenue for the Eighth District. He will assume his old duties at once.

Mr. Verkes resigned this position a few days before the election to take the Governorship, but upon being defeated for that office, made application for re-appointment. He has abandoned the idea of contesting Beckham's election.

TRUE TO THE SOUTH.

Mothers are Urged to Teach Their Children the Causes of the Civil War.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 19.—The convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy is in session here this week. The word "National" was taken off the name of the society, the members preferring to have it known as a purely Southern organization. The officers' reports showed that the society now has 20,000 members, and over 400 chapters, the result of the faithful work of the women of the South.

Mrs. Weed, the president, elicited much applause when she called upon those present to educate their children as true Southerners, in the full knowledge of the war and the causes that led up to it. She said:

"They should be taught why their fathers gave up everything, even life itself, for the principles involved."

REMARKABLE ESCAPE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 19.—A remarkable hermit took place on a farm in this county Monday. Thomas McPherson was engaged in digging a well on the farm of Charles Belcher, Gill township, Sullivan county. Mr. McPherson had gotten to a depth of thirty feet from the surface when the sand sides caved in and he was covered out of sight.

It so happened that the caving formed an arch overhead and early Tuesday morning it was discovered that McPherson was still alive and well. After much exertion on the part of those engaged in an effort to save him, a two-inch hole was gotten down to him, and through it he was fed liquids, such as soup, milk, etc. A force of forty men were put to work today, and a much larger well dug alongside of the one to which McPherson was rescued without a scratch after having been buried for thirty-eight hours.

NEW NAVAL GUN A SUCCESS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Important tests of the new twelve-inch naval gun, which is the type of the great guns to be furnished the new battleships and armored cruisers, have been in progress yesterday and today at Indian Head proving grounds.

The gun is the first of forty for the new ships, and much interest has been shown in its performance. It is a modification of the old 12-inch gun, with an enlarged chamber, suited for the use of smokeless powder.

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TO LOCATE NORTH POLE.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Nov. 18.—Mr. E. Baldwin, who is a member of the Wellman expedition, spent the winter of 1908-9 in Franz Josef Land, and was a member of the Peary expedition of 1901-2, has arrived here to search for men, dogs, steamers and other requisites for his projected North Pole venture next summer, backed by the purse of William Zeigler. He will secure a sailing steamer prior to next spring's sailing season, if possible.

BOERS CUTTING RAILROADS.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The Boers, according to the Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail, have broken the railway in twenty places between Bloemfontein and the Orange river, and the line was cut yesterday between Kimberley and Helmsfontein.

IMPERIALISM'S HORRORS.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 18.—The Southern Pacific passenger train from the west last night brought a column of 1,000 negro soldiers from the Philippine Islands. The negroes were under strong guard, en route to Washington, where they will be placed in the army. Many soldiers in the Orient have, it is said, gone deranged from various causes, and the medical corps of the army is puzzled at the situation.

PROSPEROUS HOME.

Offered the Colored Men of the States of Kentucky and Tennessee—A New Colony.

A Nashville, Tennessee special telegram says: "A large colony of Southern negroes will leave in a few days for Honolulu to work on the big sugar plantations there. The owners of sugar plantations, and mills in Honolulu are short of good labor and have written to this section frequently of late with regard to securing a large delegation of Southern laborers."

F. A. Montague and J. T. Mauney, who have been working in the interest of the race, have secured contracts to transport ten thousand negroes to the sugar country and are now at work forming a colony. The negroes are to receive free transportation and lucrative work after landing at Honolulu. So far the project is meeting with success, and it looks as if several thousand negroes will make the trip. Monday twenty-five white men from Nashville and New Orleans left for Honolulu to work in sugar mills.

Honolulu is reported to be a most delightful city surrounded by a country unsurpassed for its productivity, and in a climate all that could be wished. The island of which Honolulu is the capital is now a parcel of the United States and is in close proximity to our Pacific coast to make a trip a real pleasure. Great inducements are offered the immigrant who is physically able to perform what may be required of him and a life there must be both profitable and pleasant. Those people who have small amount of funds need not carry them to the island and are earnestly desired of largely bettering their condition will make no mistake in shipping for Honolulu at the first opportunity.

THAT LITTLE LAMB.

The "Mary" who had a "little lamb" was a little Massachusetts girl who had adopted one of a pair of twin lambs. The lamb stayed away, and on her way to school Mary found it, and actually did take it to school with her and to the class. A young man named Bowles, the son of a Boston riding master, who was sitting himself at Harvard, was at a loss that day, and wrote the lady that had become immortal. The lamb lived to be a very old sheep, and was finally killed by an angry cow.

A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan county, N. Y., says: "Our little son, 5 years old, has always been subject to croup, and so had have the attacks been of the old 12-inch gun, with an enlarged chamber, suited for the use of smokeless powder."

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